

The Sword Of The Spirit

Your Attitude Toward The Bible

When was the last time you read your Bible? The Bible continues to be a best-seller, yet it is the least read book. How tragic that the book that teaches man from whence he has come (Gen. 1-2), why he is here (Ecc. 12:13-14), and where he is going when this life is over (Jn. 5:28-29) is ignored, ridiculed, and scoffed by much of society.

Why is it that many do not like, and therefore, do not wish to read the Bible? Some may not wish to read it because the Bible demands we change our behavior (Lk. 13:3, 5; Acts 2:38). Some do not like the Bible because it demands that we make some hard choices (Josh. 24:15; Col. 3:1-10). Some do not like the Bible because it shines the light on our deeds like a spotlight (Jn. 3:19)!

Man's all is to love God and keep His commandments (1 Jn. 5:3; Ecc. 12:13). Therefore, we need to show reverence for His word (Ecc. 12:13; Acts 10:35). We need to speak "*as the oracles of God*" (1 Pet. 4:11). In so doing, we can be spiritually blessed and prepare ourselves for eternity. Friend, what is your attitude toward the Bible?

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